



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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VIA FACSIMILE (202) 756-8087 AND U. S. MAIL

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RE: MUR 5871
Margaret Thurber

Dear Mr. Levine:

This is in response to your letter dated May 11, 2007, which we received the same day, requesting an extension of time of 30 days to respond to the Commission's letter sent via Federal Express on April 27, 2007 notifying your client of reason to believe findings in this matter. In light of the circumstances presented in your letter, *i.e.*, the facts that you were only recently retained on May 10 and have prior court commitments in other matters, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on June 14, 2007.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tracey L. Ligon", is written over a circular stamp. The signature is fluid and cursive.

Tracey L. Ligon
Attorney